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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Group Art Unit 2175, Expedited Procedure

In re Application of:

Docket No. 00862.021963.

KENTARO MATSUMOTO ET AL.

Application No.: 09/628,135

Examiner: Hassan Mahmoudi

Filed: July 28, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2175

For: IMAGE STORING METHOD AND APPARATUS

Date: July 28, 2003

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 19	MINUS	** 20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	*** 4	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0

- * If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
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☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for a one-month extension is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION
AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for taking response to the Office

Action dated March 27, 2003 to July 27, 2003. A check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 06-1205.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

July 28, 2003

(Date of Deposit)

LEONARD P. DIANA (Reg. No. 29,296)

(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

Leonard P. Diana

Signature

July 28, 2003

Date of Signature

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In response to that Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116:

The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 3, and the remarks begin at page 9.